







Selling To NATO

Friday, May 20, 2011 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Encompassing twenty-six countries, the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) is a vast alliance stretching from Canada to Turkey with missions in Afghanistan and Libya. NATO procurement offers great potential trade opportunities for U.S. companies in a variety of industries, including (but not limited to) security, defense, aviation, maintenance/repair services, IT, consulting, services, and others.

The U.S. Commercial Service is pleased to present this briefing to assist small and medium sized companies on the process, procedures and opportunities of selling to NATO. We will discuss NATO Opportunities, Procurement Policy, Contacts, Tender Participation, Security Clearances, U.S. Government Assistance and Advocacy, and more.

Speakers/Guests include:

- U.S. Congressman Gus Bilirakis
- Mr. Ira Bel, Senior Commercial Specialist,
 U.S. Commercial Service, U.S. Embassy Brussels, Belgium
- Mr. Wayne Fujito, President, Decisive Analytics Corporation and Chairman, NATO Industrial Advisory Group, Arlington, Virginia

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St. Petersburg College District Office 6021 142nd Ave North, Room 143 Clearwater, FL 33760

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AGENDA

8:30 a.m.	Registration & Breakfast
8:55 a.m.	Sandra Campbell Welcome
9:00 a.m.	U.S. Congressman Gus Bilirakis
9:15 a.m.	Mr. Ira Bel
10:30 a.m.	Mr. Wayne T. Fujito NATO Industrial Advisory Group NATO's Armament Group International Collaboration Perspectives on dealing with NATO
11:15 a.m.	Question & Answer Panel
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